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founder of this Celebrated Institution,
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minal weakness, Pains in the Loins,
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neys, of the Heart, Dyspepsia, Neu-
ritability, Disease of the Head, Throat,
Etc.; and other diseases of the human
body arising from the disease of the heart.
These secret and solitary practices are
not their victims than the song of the
marines Ulysses, blighting their
bright hopes of anticipations, rendering
age, &c., impossible.

YOUNG MEN.

Who have become the victims of Sol-
itude that disdains an uniform grave,
a annually sweeps the most exalted
and brilliant of poets, who might otherwise
have entranced Elysian Seats with
poems of eloquence, or waded to ecsta-
sy in the arms of death.

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age, being aware of physical weakness,
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mediately consult Dr. Johnston, and be restored
to health under his care.

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is the penalty most frequently
by those who have become the victims of
over indulgence. Young persons are
too common examples of those who are too
eagerly seeking for health, and are aware
of the disastrous consequences that may ensue
when that understands the subject will
be led to deny that the power of Procreation
is not lost by those falling into improper han-
dles of the prudent? Besides being de-
fined of the pleasure of healthy offspring, the
serious and destructive symptoms to both
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bilitated, the physical and mental powers weak-
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curing in the ears and head when
great nervousness, being stammered and
stammered, and bashfulness, with frequent
attention, attended, sometimes, with derange-
ment of mind, were cured immediately.

A Certain Disease.

The distinguished and imprudent votary of
sin finds he has imbued the seeds of this
disease, too often happens that an
abundance of shame or dread of discovery,
and the fear of punishment, can all be屏ed
away till the constitutional symptoms
of heridit disease make their appearance.

An ulcerated sore threat, disease, nose-
bleeding, &c., &c., &c., &c., &c., &c., &c.,

and restlessness, can all be屏ed
away till the constitutional symptoms
of heridit disease make their appearance.

He won't wag his tail, and he won't shake
his mane.

And they can't get the Lion to roar,

But you may make him roar and his jaws
wide expand.

Just presume on his peaceable mood,

You may then find it hard to supply
the demand

Of the roused British Lion for food.

DEMOCRATIC PIONEER.

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POETRY.

THE SLEEPING BRITISH LION.

FROM PUNCH.

"Get up, British Lion, get up," says John
BRIGHT.

"And then you shall have such a feast;

Get up! What, asleep? Do you take day
for night?

Up you, great lazy old beast:

Here, I've brought you a carcass of prime
Reform pork;

I'm the man to supply you with prog;

So jump up and pitch in; tooth and nail set
to work;

You observe that I go the whole Hog."

"Awake, British Lion, awake and be fed,"
cries FENBY; "awake, you slow brute,

Here's a haunch of kuck-venison, the fin-
est ever bred,

Which just your digestion will suit.

Look, only just look, what a nice joint of
meat;

You could manage a bit if you try.

Take this now, or you may be wanting to
eat

And unsatisfied be, by-and-by.

"Arise, British Lion!" Lord JOHN shouts
"arise!

You are famished—I'm sure you must be;

Then why do you snore so? Come, open
your eyes,

And you shall see what you shall see.

I'll warrant you'll find it a better blow su-

Then those other fellers can give:

I'll provide you a meal, which, beyond any
doubt,

Will last you as long as you live.

They talk to the old British Lion in vain;

The Lion does nothing but snore;

He won't wag his tail, and he won't shake
his mane,

And they can't get the Lion to roar,

But you may make him roar and his jaws
wide expand.

Just presume on his peaceable mood,

You may then find it hard to supply
the demand

Of the roused British Lion for food.

MISCELLANEOUS.

THE BOY WHO TOOK THE

PRIEST'S ADVICE.

A priest going along one Sunday on the
road, saw a boy in a very ragged dress,
sitting dangling his feet in the water of a
brook that ran by it.

"Well, my boy," says the good father,
"what makes you sit there to day, and why
don't you go to the chapel?"

"It is because I'm not just fit to be seen
because of the raggedness of my clothes,"
said the boy.

"And who may your parents be, and
what are they doing, that they don't see
you better clad, and going to the chapel on
a Sunday?"

"I can't exactly say," replied the boy,
"what they may be doing just now, because
they have been dead some years, and I get
along as well as I can without them,"

"But you should not neglect going to
chapel," said the priest, "and if you are
ashamed of your clothes, why I would
have you get up betimes in the morning
and step into the chapel when nobody is
there, and say your prayers, and depend
upon it God will be dropping something in
your way."

So the boy thanked his reverence for his
advice, and promised to follow it. Some
time after, as the priest was going the same
way, he saw the same boy, but now very
much altered in appearance, and being
very well dressed.

"Well, my boy, did you follow my ad-
vice, and do you now go to the chapel?"

"Ah! bless your reverence," replied the
lad; "that I did indeed, and I wish I had
seen you years before, for it was the best
day of my life when I did see you."

"How was that?" asked the priest.

"Why God bless your reverence! I got
up early in the morning, as you advised
me, and went away to the chapel, and as I
did not want to be seen, I slipped in quietly
and got behind the door, and began to
say my prayers, and sure enough, it was
just as your reverence said it would be—

Providence was after dropping something in
my way directly. When I first went in,
there was nobody there; but presently
there came a blind man, and he put his

head into the chapel and said, 'Is any

body here?' and when no body answered,
for I kept quite still, for I would see what
Providence would be after; the blind man
entered, and made his way to a seat, and
began saying his prayers. And presently
another blind man came and put in his
head, and said, 'Is anybody here?' And
the first blind man answered, and said:—

"There is nobody but me and I am blind."

And with that, the second blind man entered
and made his way to the first blind man,
and sat down by his side, and they began
to talk. And the one blind man asked the
other how long he had been blind? and he
said eighteen years.'

dealt him a kick which doubled him up
like a jack-knife. The ladies shrieked, and
Mr. Gould, starting up, was beginning to
upbraid Charlotte for her hardness of
heart, but the arrival of a policeman inter-
rupted his oratory, and he walked away a
sadder and a wiser man."

CIRCULAR]

PENSION OFFICE.

MARCH 28, 1859.

Numerous applications for pensions, and
letters of inquiry, having been forwarded
to this office, under the supposition that
the bill proposing to grant pensions to the
soldiers of the war of 1812 with Great
Britain, and the Indian wars of that, and
former periods, had become a law; it be-
comes necessary, in this form, to state that
said bill DID NOT BECOME A LAW—and as
application is frequently made for the offi-
cial estimate of the number of persons who
would probably be embraced within the
provisions of that bill, and the amount of
money that would be required to pay pensions
under it, it is deemed best to append to
this circular, the following official report
of this office to the Secretary of the Interior,
containing said estimate, as a reply to
all such inquiries.

GEO. C. WHITING,
Commissioner.

THE OLD SOLDIER'S BILL—THE AMOUNT NECESSARY TO SATIS- FY ITS DEMANDS.

PENSION OFFICE, January 27, 1859.

SIR: I have the honor to return here
with the letter to you from the Committee
on Pensions in the Senate, referred to me
from the department on the 12th instant,
enclosing a printed copy of House bill No.
259, entitled 'An act granting pensions to
the officers and soldiers of the war with
Great Britain of 1812, and those engaged
in Indian wars during that period,' and
asking—

"1st. What sum will be required to be
appropriated at this session of Congress?

"2d. What average sum annually re-
quires, and for what period thereafter?

"3d. What the aggregate sum necessary
to extinguish all claims that may be pre-
ferred under the bill?

"4th. What increase of clerks in the Pen-
sion Bureau and of pension agents, if any,
will be required, and the compensation
therefor?

In submitting an estimate of the proba-
ble amount required to execute the pro-
posed bill, it is proper that I should say,
in the outset, that experience has proved
that little reliance can be placed on any
such calculations. To prove this, it is suf-
ficient to state, that, when the act of June
7, 1832, granting pensions to the soldiers
of the war of the revolution, was under
consideration in the House of Representa-
tives, a very elaborate investigation was
made by the committee having charge of the
subject, but that their estimates did not
reach to one-fourth the actual demand un-
der the bill after it became a law. It was
then supposed that the whole number of
persons entitled to its benefits was 10,057,
and that the amount of money required to
pay the pensions under it would average
\$907,608 for seven years. The facts are,
that 33,414 claims have been admitted,
and over \$18,000,000 expended, and yet
there are about 200 surviving soldiers on
the rolls of the several States.

In estimating the amount required for
the new class of revolutionary widows
those married subsequent to the year
1800 provided for by the act of February
3, 1853, this office was not more fortunate
in its calculations, notwithstanding the ad-
vantages derived from experience in the
execution of similar laws. The estimate of
the amount supposed to be required under
that branch of the act up to June 30, 1854,
was \$24,000, but that sum was found to
be so entirely inadequate, that an additional
appropriation of \$200,000 became nec-
essary.

In the present case, the difficulties to be
surmounted are not less than any of those
which the author of the former calculations
had to encounter, and in some respects
are certainly much greater. I have no
reason, therefore, to hope that I shall ap-
proximate any nearer to accuracy than
our former calculators have done.

The bill in question provides for services
in the war 1812 with Great Britain, and
Indian wars of the ^{and} former periods,
and grants pensions for life to the surviving
and to the widows of deceased officers, non-
commissioned officers, musicians, and pri-
vates of the regular army, State troops,
volunteers, or militia of any State or Ter-
ritory, and the officers, non-commissioned
officers, and marines in the naval service,
making in all 23,692 persons at \$50 per
month, amounting to \$3,792,900; mak-
ing the annual amount which will be re-
quired to pay these three of the four clas-
ses of pensions provided for by the bill,
\$8,795,088. If the present ages of all
these persons average sixty-eight years,
their expectation of life—that is, the aver-
age duration or mean length of all their
lives, is ten years. The sum involved in
the bill from the present time is therefore
\$87,950,880. But the pensions are to
commence from the 4th of March, 1857,
and we must to this sum add the amount
that would accrue from that period to the
present, viz.: \$15,391,404, making in all
about \$103,342,284; about \$29,816,960
of which would be liable to be expended
prior to the close of the ensuing fiscal year,
and which would now have to be provided
for, in addition to the expenses incident to

the bill.

1st. To those engaged in battle, or who
served twelve months or more, \$96 per
annum.

2d. To those who served less than twelve
months, but as much as six months, \$76 per
annum.

3d. To those who served less than six
months, but as much as sixty days, \$50 per
annum.

The necessary data for the required esti-
mates are—

1st. The whole number of officers and

men engaged, and the periods of service
rendered by them respectively.

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J. B. GODWIN, ::::: Editor.

ELIZABETH CITY:

TUESDAY MORNING, APRIL 26, 1859.

DEMOCRATIC DISTRICT CONVENTION.

The Democratic Convention to nominate a candidate to represent the first Congressional District of North Carolina in the thirty-sixth Congress of the U. States, will be held in EDENTON, Chowan County, on THURSDAY, the 26th day of May.

SICKLES' TRIAL

Dragg slowly along. We shall give the result when we learn it.

LETCHER AND GOGGIN.

The candidates for the Virginia gubernatorial honors, Messrs. Letcher and Goggin, are stamping it in the Eastern section of the State. They spoke in Portsmouth on Friday and in Norfolk on Saturday night.

THE WHEAT CROP.

We have to note a change, we regret to say, in the appearance of the Wheat crop. We are informed that it is now attacked by rust, and this, so early in the season, argues nearly a total destruction of the grain.

In the Pioneer of the 12th inst. we stated that Dr. Deems would deliver an address in Herford on the 7th of July. We have been requested to correct the time—instead of the 7th, say 20th July.

A GALE

Saturday was a remarkable day. Though the 23d of April, it was cold enough for December, and in the way of a *breeze*, March could only have beat it by playing its highest trump. It rained, snowed, and blew a *hurricane*.

Our thanks are due Mr. J. Nichols for a choice steak from one of the finest beavers that has been brought to our market. It was put in eating trim by our landlord, and, with a few friends, we tested its savory qualities.

THE FAIR

Was in full blast last evening. Opened well and progressed finely. Great attractions in the way of pretty things and good eating. Will be continued until to-morrow night. Every body will be welcomed, but especially those who visit freely.

ARTHUR'S LADIES' HOME MAGAZINE. We welcome the May number of this model Magazine to our table, and we would commend it to every family that desire to have a choice, refined and elevated journal in their midst.

SUPERIOR COURT.

The Superior Court for Pasquotank county is now in session in this place, his Honor Judge Saunderson presiding. Only one case of importance is likely to engage the attention of the court. The State vs. Upshur, for the killing of Bailey, will come up.

FIRE.

The residence of Mr. Wm. P. Mathews, situated on the Northern border of the Town, caught fire on Saturday, about 12 o'clock, M., and in a few minutes was entirely consumed with nearly everything it contained. The isolated position of the house and the rapid spread of the flames, rendered every attempt to save the property abortive, and Mr. Mathews—who had been confined to his bed for several months—and his family lost every thing excepting the clothes they were wearing at the time. The wind was blowing a gale from the S. West which, fortunately, carried the flames in a direction opposite to the town.

The Democracy of Chowan held a meeting on the 13th to appoint delegates to the District Convention to assemble on the 26th of May. The Hon. H. M. Shaw being in Edenton at the time, was called upon, and addressed the meeting. We understand from a listener that his speech was a masterly and effective effort. So we imagine must have been as the Know Nothings held two meetings on two consecutive days—Wednesday and Thursday—to endeavor, we suppose, to counteract the injury which their party was likely to sustain from the rasping which it had received.

BRANCH OF FARMERS BANK. At a recent meeting of the Stockholders of the Farmer's Bank, convened in Greensboro, J. J. Johnson, Esq., was elected President of the E. City Branch, in the place of G. W. Brooks, resigned, and W. H. Clark, D. Raper, George W. Brooks and W. S. Grandy, were elected directors. The present Cashier, R. F. Overman, was retained, and the office of Teller abandoned, which throws a very worthy, faithful, meritorious, and competent officer, Mr. G. W. F. Dashiell, the present incumbent, out of office.

Under the late administration the affairs of the Bank, though exceedingly complicated, have greatly improved, and had no change in the charter been made, we believe, the credit of the Bank would soon have been re-established. Mr. Johnson will make an efficient officer, and we hope the institution will in future do a faithful part to the public.

GOV. JONES OF TENNESSEE.

"Gov. Jones, of Tennessee, has now abandoned his late political association with the Democracy, and avowed himself for the candidate of the Opposition, in the gubernatorial canvass in Tennessee."

We find the above in the *Intelligencer* of yesterday. On the authority of the Memphis *Advertiser*, we state that Gov. Jones, of Tennessee, has done no such thing.—He is still with, and for, the Democratic party.—*Petersburg Press*.

THE CANVASS IN THE STATE.

The signs of the times point pretty clearly to an animated and excited canvass throughout the State. Both parties are marshalling their forces and arming for the Summer campaign. The din of preparation is heard on every hand, and soon, very soon, the battle will have commenced in good earnest. On one side will stand the Democratic party, advocating the same great principles, supporting the same governmental policy, adhering to the same articles of faith that it has sustained, advocated, and adhered to in every canvass from its organization to the present. It will be found upon the side of the Constitution and opposed to a loose, convenient, and dangerous construction of that instrument; it will be found combating the odious and abominable doctrine of protection—a doctrine that would impose heavy and unjust burdens upon the many for the benefit of the self-bloated and greedy covetous of the North that live upon the sweat, and toil and groans of the industrious millions; a doctrine that, if carried out, will swell the coffers of the few who control the manufactures of the North with money siphoned from the hard earnings of the consumer who will be forced to buy their wares at whatever price they feel disposed to put upon them. It will be found opposing this and advocating a tariff levied for the exclusive purpose of meeting the demands upon the federal treasury and of supporting an economical but necessary system of public expenditures. As heretofore, the distribution of the proceeds of the sales of the public lands, or of the lands themselves, will meet the same steady, determined, and unwavering opposition that it has ever received at the hands of the Democratic party. Held up as it has ever been, among the list of abominations that a desperate and unscrupulous opposition would fasten upon the people of the country, the Democracy in the coming canvass will again unmask the miserable contest and expose its hideous deformities to those who have so often condemned and repudiated it. Not the less earnestly will the Democracy denounce and hold up to public scorn the degrading coalition which a reckless faction is seeking to form with those who have never ceased to war upon the institutions of the South, who have besmeared the Southern people with their filthy slimes and heaped upon them falsehood, vituperation, and calumny, and, at this very time, are endeavoring to enact laws that will deprive the slave holder of his constitutional rights and bring on a collision with the general government.

This union of "all the elements of opposition"—union that embraces Seward, Hale, Wilson, Giddings, Sumner, Greeley, and their abolition confederates—will be handled in a manner that cannot fail to arouse the honest, though unscrupulous voter to a proper sense of the corrupt and shameless bargain that would transfer him, body and soul, to the aid of a faction that, if in power, would trample the Constitution under foot and sacrifice the Union, it necessary to the accomplishment of their designs against the slave holding States.

The dignies, masks and multiplicity of names assumed by the opposition, beginning with that of Federalist and ending with the triple combination by which they now designate themselves, will not escape the animadversions and pungent criticisms of those whom the Democracy may put forward to advocate its cause. This yearly abandonment of old names and temporary adherence to creeds will be a thorn in the sides of our adversaries. It exposes the emptiness of their long winded and vaunting professions, and shows them where the hungry and ravenous aspirants to the places from which they have been indignantly rejected.

We know what the course of the opposition will be. From the raking and destructive fire poured upon their mixed lines from the well charged and well directed batteries of the Democracy, they will seek shelter behind the unbound and exploded batch of charges which have been raked together to damage the administration. Extravagance in public expenditures will rank first in the catalogue. This may not be a harp of a thousand strings, but we shall hear a thousand and one tunes played upon it through the campaign.

At a meeting of a portion of the Democratic party of the county of Pasquotank, held on Monday, the 25th of April, Dr. R. H. McIntosh was called the Chair, and J. L. Ball appointed Secretary; after which motion was made to appoint seventy-five delegates to attend the Edenton Convention, to be held on the 26th of May. The following gentlemen were appointed:

J. D. Stokely, Wilson Spence, B. F. Whitehurst, Miles Whitehurst, Wm. Williams, Jr., Daniel Sawyer, W. F. Martin, Dr. R. Piemont, Dr. P. A. C. Cooch, Dr. J. T. P. Cooch, W. W. Williams, J. B. Godwin, L. D. Starkes, M. V. B. Gilbert, Daniel Richardson, A. L. Jones, Thos. Parke, Jas. Cartwright, S. D. Cartwright, James Cartwright, Major Bell, James Scott, Robert Simpson, P. C. Williams, E. M. Stanton, M. S. Danee, M. S. Sawyer, D. B. Pendleton, Dr. C. A. Riddick, J. E. Weeks, S. Weisel, F. M. Godfrey, R. B. Creecy, E. H. Perkins, Henry Culpeper, Duran Owens, Wm. Halsey, Sr., W. A. Harney, J. B. Dyer, A. Pearce, R. G. Holmes, Dr. H. P. Bitter, Benjamin White, A. P. White, Timothy Hunter, Griffin M. Jennings, Jacob Richardson, Stephen DeLoon, A. T. Woodley, M. W. Bulkin, Mark Gregory, Benoni Cartwright, John Cartwright, Wm. G. Davis, Charles Davis, Wm. F. Saunders, Daniel Richardson, J. N. Vaughan, T. W. Weston, B. F. Jennings, A. L. Pendleton, J. B. Lyon, Andrew Sawyer, J. R. Erhardt, George Brice, Nathan Morris, Larkin L. Crenshaw, Luke Gregory, Griffin Pritchard, W. J. Spence, A. B. Perse, George Jackson.

On motion, the Chairman and Secretary were also appointed. The following resolutions were then read and adopted:

Resolved, That we cordially endorse the course of Hon. H. M. Shaw, our Representative in Congress, and we heartily award to him the meed of "Well done, good and faithful servant."

Resolved, That we renew our pledges of devotion to the time-honored principles of the Democratic party, and reiterate our faith in their utility and necessity.

On motion, the proceedings of this meeting were ordered to be published in the Democratic papers of the district.

Resolved, That as a token of respect for our departed brother, we wear the badge of mourning thirty days.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be furnished the Democratic Pioneer, with a request to publish them; and that the Spirit of the Age be requested to copy, and the same be entered upon the minutes of this Lodge.

SETH MORGAN.
C. W. KELLINGER.
T. A. COMMANDER.

DEMOCRATIC VICTORIES. Notwithstanding the numerous Republican victories recorded within the past fortnight, many of the recent elections have resulted favorably to the Democratic party. Besides the emphatic victories gained in Brooklyn and Milwaukee, they have been successful in Sandusky, Toledo, Chillicothe and Elyria, Ohio; Freeport and Rock Island, Ill.; Dubuque, Iowa; Richmond, Va.; Grand Rapids, Mich.; Hartford, Ct.; Princeton, Trenton, N. J., and many other places less worthy of note.

The Democrats have carried the election at Paterson and Bordentown, N. J.

Journal of Commerce.

Our fair correspondent, S. S. must excuse us for not publishing his contribution. It is defective, but we hope that he will "try again." Don't be discouraged.

NEW OPPOSITION PAPER IN RALEIGH.

While the Legislature was in session, there was a move, at it was rumored, to establish a new "American" paper at the Capital. Having heard nothing of the matter for some time we concluded the project had failed, until a remark recently made in our hearing by a gentleman, whose position gives weight to his words, led us to believe that the matter was still in progress. We must suppose the move intended to head off the *Register*. That paper had incurred the displeasure of a portion of the party in the West by its manly and commendable zeal in opposition to the Danville Connection and its scattering review of Gov. Morehead's course, and independence in the central organ was not to be tolerated.

It can only be viewed in this light: Mr. Syme is known to be a gentleman of ability, devoted to his party, zealous in his work, a high toned and courteous opponent, and discharges his duty well and faithfully. Still, we are not so much surprised at the opposition from those interested in the Danville Connection. We cannot say as much for eastern gentlemen who are engaged in aiding the enterprise. Some conjectures upon this point have reached us, but we shall await further developments.

The *Register* has been amusing itself with the troubles between the *Standard* and certain gentlemen in the Democratic party; perhaps a like pleasure may be in reserve for the *Standard*.

For the Pioneer.

Mr. Eboron: I ask the privilege of your column to propound a few questions. I wish an answer from those concerned; but if I do not receive one, I shall not be disappointed.

I was present at a meeting of a portion of the Democratic party of Pasquotank, held yesterday, to appoint delegates to the District Convention to nominate a candidate for Congress, and was surprised to see so few in attendance.

Can you, Mr. Editor, inform your Democratic readers why our friends did not turn out on this occasion? They certainly knew that a meeting was called for that day, and to say that there were not many Democrats in Town, would be stating what is not true.

Please inform your friends, also, where all our speaking men were? Some of them had been "around." But I suppose these gentlemen had "other fish to fry"—were doing something that would pay better than addressing Democratic meetings pays them. Or, perhaps, knowing that our late popular representative, Dr. Suau, will be the unanimous nomine of the District Convention, they may have concluded that there was no necessity for a speech. My remarks upon this point are general, and I do not wish any gentle man to think that they are intended for him alone. Though the re-nomination of Dr. S. may be a "fixed fact," I can see no ease for the party not moving with the same spirit as if every Democrat in the district were expecting the nomination.

Really, Sir, it seems to me that, at this time, when the Opposition are concentrating their forces, for the purpose of warring against the Democracy; when their cauldron is "boiling and bubbling," filled with the bad eggs of every faction that ever existed—

"Fillet of a fenny snake,
In the caudron boil and bake;
Eve of next, and toe of frog,
Wool of bat, and tongue of dog,
Adder's fork and blind worm's sting,
Lizard's leg and owl's wing,
For charm of powerful trouble,
Like a hell-bolt boar and bubble"—there should be no lukewarmness in our ranks; the Democracy should hold on to the government, crush this mongrel party; and this can be done by maintaining our organization and exposing "the Opposition" in all its deformity.

"Puff, puff, the Devil takes a walk;
In the caudron boil and bake;
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